FUSION PROTEINS OF MYCOBACTERIUM TUBERCULOSIS

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The present invention relates to compositions and fusion proteins containing at

least two *Mycobacterium* sp. antigens, and nucleic acids encoding such compositions and
fusion proteins. The compositions of the invention increase serological sensitivity of sera
from individuals infected with tuberculosis, and methods for their use in the diagnosis,
treatment, and prevention of tuberculosis infection.

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